

REAGAN STATUE IS PLEASING TO FAMILY

Members of the John H. Reagan monument committee and many distinguished officials arrived in San Antonio yesterday to view the completed statue of "The Grand Old Man of Texas," which is on display at the studio of Pompeo Coppini, the creator of the memorial. The local chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy will give a reception to the visitors and the members of the Reagan family at the studio this afternoon.

Yesterday Mrs. Reagan, the widow of the great Texan; Jeff Reagan and wife of Dallas and her daughter, Mrs. Mobley of Austin and the monument committee visited the studio and viewed the completed statue. Visitors and delegations from other chapters of the Daughters of the Confederacy are expected to arrive today and attend the reception.

Following are the members of the monument committee: Miss Coral Ozmert, president of the Palestine Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy; Mrs. W. J. Crawford, Palestine; Mrs. Charles Horn, Palestine, chairman of monument committee; Mrs. T. M. Campbell, wife of Governor Campbell; Mrs. Rosine Ryan of Houston; Judge J. L. Storey, O. B. Colquitt; Judge P. W. Brown, Palestine, secretary monument committee.

The monument will be erected at Palestine, the home city of Mr. Reagan. It is the design of Mr. Coppini, the famous sculptor of San Antonio, and was selected as the best design among many which were submitted to the monument committee. Mr. Coppini has been at work on the model for nearly a year and he considers the memorial the best of his works. He will leave for Italy in a few weeks, and the plaster caste of the great monument will be taken to Rome and cast in bronze.

The memorial consists of two life size figures. Judge Reagan is represented as arising from a chair, and stands in the attitude of addressing the Confederate senate. His left hand is raised in gesture and in his right he carries a roll of papers. This figure is mounted on a pedestal of Texas granite twelve feet in height.

An allegorical figure of a nude man, draped with a Confederate flag sits at the base of the pedestal. The figure represents the "Lost Cause," to which Judge Reagan gave the best of his life and thought. A helmet rests on the head of the figure representing the clash of arms in which the cause was born.

Next week the monument will be shipped to Galveston and then transferred by steamer to Rome, Italy.

Mrs. Mollie Reagan Mobley, daughter of the great Texan, was enthusiastic in her praise of the memorial.

"It is wonderful how the sculptor has caught the likeness of my father," she said. "It is a perfect portrait, and even the details of form and dress are correct."

The efforts of the Palestine chapter to raise funds for the erection of the memorial has met with great success, and the entire amount, \$8,000, has been subscribed. It is probable that an additional fund will be subscribed to beautify the grounds surrounding the monument.—San Antonio Daily Light, Nov. 13.

HEAVY FIRE LOSS.

The Business District of Dawson Is Wiped Out By Fire.

Corsicana, Texas, Nov. 13.—Three brick buildings and three frame structures were burned at Dawson, this county, this morning, entailing a loss of at least \$50,000 with only about \$10,000 insurance.

STATE'S HOUSTON DEPOSIT.

State Penitentiary Has \$10,113 in the T. W. House Bank.

Austin, Texas, Nov. 13.—The state penitentiary board convened here today in regular monthly session. The report of the financial agent shows that the penitentiary has \$10,113 in the House bank at Houston.

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the world's greatest piano. Having received the highest honors at both the Paris and St. Louis expositions, and being played throughout the world by the greatest artists of our time, is placing this greatest of pianos before the public in its proper light—and that is head and shoulders above any other piano the world has ever known. It's no wonder that the Baldwin company does not hesitate to guarantee this piano indefinitely and unconditionally. This is the only factory that has ever dared to do such a thing.

We are proud to be agents for this splendid piano, and if there is any one in Palestine who wants the best that money can buy, we would be glad to have a talk with you.

11-8-tf BARNES MUSIC CO.

BIG ORGANIZATION HAS BEEN COMPLETED

At a meeting of senior gym members last night the "Saturday Night Athletic and Basketball League" was organized, and the names, colors and yells adopted. Captains and team names are as follows:

Gregory Maury, Yale.
James Green, Harvard.
Chas. Threasto, Princeton.
Joe Welborn, Cornell.

The teams have been selected with a view of making them equal in strength, and a series of hard-fought battles for the pennant are assured, for each team has made the vow to win it. Once each month an athletic event will be held. Three men from each team will be allowed to compete in each one for individual and team honors. To the individual securing the highest number of points in athletics for the season, a gold association medal will be awarded; second prize, a silver association medal; third prize, one year's membership in the association. In addition to securing the beautiful pennant, each man on the basketball team winning first place at end of season will receive the bronze association emblem.

The opening games will be played next Saturday night at 8 o'clock, to which the public and association members are cordially invited. No admission fee will be charged. The teams will be matched as follows: Yale vs. Harvard, Cornell vs. Princeton.

FOOTPRINTS LED POLICE.

Negro Teacher Arrested For Robbing Cars at Taylor, Texas.

Taylor, Texas, Nov. 12.—Upon the charge of theft and breaking into sealed freight cars of the International and Great Northern railroad company at this place, Sylvester Bright, a colored school teacher of this city, was arrested last night and lodged in jail. For several weeks past it has been known to local railway officials that thefts of merchandise from cars in transit had been going on, but not until last night was an arrest made.

Last night Constable Owen Olive and Marshal Louis Lowe made an investigation. Going to the railway yards they found a car door open, its seal being broken. Sleet and snow covered the ground and following footprints they were led to the house of Bright, several hundred yards distant. Here they found a quantity of goods, consisting of hams, sides of bacon, tobacco, potatoes, flour, onions, salt, soap, starch, etc., aggregating in value something over \$100. The goods were seized and Bright lodged in jail until a preliminary hearing is granted him, which will not be given until further investigations are made.

LETTER TO SAWYER & NEMER,

Palestine, Texas.

Dear Sirs: One of the ways to get rich is to make a quarter look like thirty cents.

There's a better; make it thirty cents. It has this advantage: one keeps out of jail.

There are 200 paint manufacturers making quarters look like 30, 40, 50, 60 cents and all the odd cents between. That is, their "paints" profess to be paints; and they are, in about the proportions named: they get 30 to 60 cents for a quarter's worth; some get 75.

There's a better way to paint: Devoe. There are eight honest paints. By "honest," we mean not adulterated and full-measures. These honest ones differ; no two are alike. In one, the quarter is worth 27 or 28 cents; in another, 30 cents; there must be a best one in eight; it is the one that takes least gallons to cover a job—Devoe.

To cover; that seems a light way to speak of a paint. No, it isn't. That is what paint is for: to cover. It means to hide and protect. The paint that goes furthest is best, wears longest. Go far is all; and Devoe is the go far paint. Yours truly

68 F W DEVOE & CO

WEATHER FORECAST.

For Palestine and vicinity: Tonight partly cloudy weather. Friday probably showers; warmer. Minimum temperature, 32. Maximum temperature, 48.

Weather Conditions.

The pressure continues high over all the country, excepting New England, but is slowly diminishing. The center of high pressure is over Nebraska and Missouri, accompanied by temperature of 29 degrees; over the Northwest and Rocky Mountain Slope the temperature ranges from 8 degrees above in the Dakotas to 18 degrees in the Panhandle. Freezing weather prevails in all the cotton states, with frost south to Mobile. A low pressure area over New England has raised the temperature in that section equal to the lower half of the

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For this Occasion we have received the grandest Display of special designs of

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Also a full line of Twelve and Sixteen Button Kid Gloves.

The Attraction at The Model

Tomorrow and all this week will be the display of special reduced prices of all Cloaks and Suits. Many Misses' and small Ladies' Suits and Cloaks which are late shipments, but new arrivals, will go in with this SALE.

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Every Pattern Hat

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See our new line of Fixtures and House Wiring Proposition. We have on hand a complete line of Electric Household Utensils—Electric Heaters, Electric Irons, Coffee Percolators, Hot Water Heaters, Electric Shaving Outfits. Call and see them.

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The Electric Construction Co.

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Opening Attraction

NEW TEMPLE THEATRE FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15TH.

"RED FEATHER"

A Big Musical Comedy, 60 People in the Cast, With Their Own Special Orchestra and Two Car Loads of Scenery and Electrical Effects.

We can safely say that no Theatre in the State is prettier or better decorated than ours. The attraction for the night is the best and it will be necessary for them to come from Little Rock to Palestine on a special train. Now is the time for Palestine to show her appreciation of this long needed improvement, so let us make the opening night a grand event in our history.

PRICES:

Right and Left Sides of Parquet and Dress Circle - - - \$5.00
First Row in Balcony, \$5.00. Balance of Balcony, \$2.50. Gallery \$1.00

Seats Now on Sale at Swift's.

cotton belt. Next to no precipitation is reported.

Cloudy conditions are expected tonight and Friday with some probability of showers and warmer Friday in the vicinity of Palestine.

G. HASS HAGEN,
Official in Charge.

ARRIVED WITH BAILEY.

Copies of Pierce Letter Distributed at Sweetwater—Standard Oil, Too.

Sweetwater, Texas, Nov. 13.—An agent of the Waters Pierce Oil company, who was here Monday, distributed copies of the famous letter of H. Clay Pierce to Governor Campbell, published in pamphlet form. He said that copies of this pamphlet were being widely circulated throughout the state, for the reason that with the exception of a few large dailies the letter had not been published in the newspapers of the state.

The Standard Oil company is also distributing throughout the state, and probably in other states as well, a pamphlet addressing the people on the subject of the prosecution of that company by both federal and state authorities.

MANY TYLER FIRES.

Residence Suffers Heavy Loss—Fire Department Kept Busy.

Tyler, Texas, Nov. 13.—The fire department had a busy day of it yesterday. They responded to many fire calls, only one, however, being serious. At 3 o'clock this morning the dwelling of Mrs. L. Swann, located in the south part of the city, had one story burned and considerable damage done to the lower story. The estimated damage is \$1,500, with insurance to cover. Origin of the fire supposed to be from fire rolling from the hearth onto the carpet.

BUYING COAL LANDS.

American Briquette Company Purchases Thousands of Acres.

Rockdale, Texas, Nov. 13.—The American Briquette and Lignite company is buying vast quantities of land around Rockdale. Some thousands of acres were purchased last week by it for coal lands.

HOT STUFF.

The Real Candy Kid.

If Morgan and Rockefeller are such great heroes because they loaned millions at low rates of interest, what do you think of your Uncle Sam, who loaned more millions at no interest at all?—Chicago News.

W. J. Bryan, of Course.

Mr. Bryan says he will accept another presidential nomination only in case the best interests of the democratic party require. But who is to be selected to act as referee?—New York Tribune.

What's the Difference If He Enjoys It? Vice President Fairbanks still appears to cherish the delusion that he is a presidential candidate.—Pittsburg Post.

Wood.

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